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9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
10 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
11 AT SEATTLE

12 THE BILL & MELINDA GATES
13 FOUNDATION, a charitable trust
organized under the law of the State of
Washington,

14 Plaintiff,

15 v.
16 SAAMA TECHNOLOGIES, INC., a
17 Delaware corporation,

18 Defendant.

19 Case No. C17-1450-JPD

20 ORDER CONFIRMING STIPULATED
21 CONSENT AND RESETTING INITIAL
22 CASE SCHEDULING DEADLINES

23 This matter comes before the Court following the parties' November 10, 2017
24 stipulation that they "agree to consent to proceed before U.S. Magistrate Judge James P.
25 Donohue." Dkt. 16 at 2. The parties further agree to participate in early mediation as soon as
practicable but, in any event, by no later than January 31, 2018 as part of a good-faith effort to
reach an amicable resolution of their dispute. To help conserve judicial resources and benefit
their mediation efforts, the parties have requested a continuance of the pending case deadlines.

The Court GRANTS the parties' stipulated request for an extension of the pending case deadlines, and amends the schedule as follows:

Deadline for Saama to respond to the
Foundation's Complaint Friday, February 9, 2018

Initial Disclosures Pursuant to FRCP 26(a)(1) Friday, February 16, 2018

Combined Joint Status Report and Discovery Plan Friday, February 23, 2018

The Clerk is directed to send a copy of this Order to counsel for all parties.

DATED this 13th day of November, 2017.

James P. Donohue

JAMES P. DONOHUE
Chief United States Magistrate Judge